



Michigan Historical Museum Presents 2010 Summer Sizzles Day Camp

Now in its 11th season, summer Sizzles Day camp brings Michigan History to life for children ages 6 through 12. Campers get an enjoyable summer experience and a unique perspective on the past as they participate in crafts, discussions and other activities.

An Apple a Day Keeps the Doctor Away Fee: \$30

July 7 – 9a.m. – 4p.m. **OR** July 15 – 9a.m. – 4p.m. **(Choose one)**

Join Michigan Historical Museum historian Dr. Laurie Catherine Perkins as she explores the history of the apple in Michigan. Examine the origins of Michigan's apple crops and discover ways early settlers used the apple for everything from food to toys. Assist in making an apple pie, learn where spices for the pie are grown and then sample the completed pie.

Furs, Fish and Maple Sugar:

Michigan During the Fur Trade Fee: \$30

July 8 – 9a.m. – 4p.m. **OR** July 14 – 9a.m. – 4p.m. **(Choose one)**

Join Michigan Historical Museum historian Eric Perkins to explore the clothes, tools and food of 17th-century Michigan. Discover the relationship between Michigan's native peoples and the French voyageurs and the similarities and differences in their lifestyles. Sample corn soup and maple sugar and learn their importance during this time period.

My Life and times: From Diary to Digital Fee: \$30

July 13 – 9a.m. – 4p.m.

Do you know how important your everyday life is to future historians? Join state archivist Mark Harvey and archivist Bob Garrett as they highlight the important historical information found in the diaries of everyday people – diaries that are now in the Archives of Michigan. Explore the Museum's Growing Up in Michigan gallery to see how children's diaries were used to inspire the exhibit. Learn how computers have changed how we record our personal histories and receive your own journal to take home.

Discover Your Universe Fee: \$30

July 16 – 9a.m. – 4p.m.

Back by popular demand, Professor Jeff Conn, Senior Lecturer, Wayne State University in a discovery of Astronomy, the role that it plays in our daily lives and famous Michigan astronomers and astronauts.

Discover the Life of a Civil War Soldier Fee: \$30

July 20 – 9a.m. – 4p.m.

Using artifacts and storytelling, reenactors James Newkirk and Jim Haywood present an interactive look at the lives of Union and Confederate soldiers during the Civil War.

So, You Want to Grow Up to Be President! Fee: \$30

July 27 – 9a.m. – 4p.m.

What is running for election to an office all about? Join Michigan Historical Commission member Tom Truscott and Friends of Michigan History president Francis Spaniola as they share their campaign strategies, plans and posters as well as their triumphs and disappointments from having run for public office. Kathy Esselman of the Lansing-area League of Women Voters explains the importance of being an informed voter and leads these two former candidates in a public debate.

Breeze Through the Trees Fee: \$30

August 10 – 9a.m. – 4p.m.

It doesn't matter whether you live in the city or the countryside - there is so much we can learn about trees and outdoor plants. Join DNRE specialist Pam Howd for a fascinating day of discovering the trees in downtown Lansing. Along the way, you will learn to identify trees, hear Native American lore about trees and get outdoor survival tips.

Small Fry Summer Sizzles Camp For Campers ages 6 through 8

The Michigan Historical Museum is pleased to offer day camps for younger children to get acquainted with Michigan's past.

Small Fry Summer Sizzles Fee: \$45

August 11 – 13 – 9a.m. - Noon

In Small Fry Summer Sizzles, children ages 6 through 8 explore Native American legends about the moon, learn about children during the Civil War and find out about late 19th-century pursuits like the bicycling movement. It's three days of stories, games, dance, role-playing, poetry, crafts and more.

Please save camp schedule below for your records

Summer Sizzles Day Camp (\$30.00/day)

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Children registered for full-day sessions should bring a lunch and two snacks.

Children in the Small Fry half-day sessions should bring a snack each day.

Cancellations: You must cancel registrations at least one week before the session begins in order to receive a full refund.

Questions regarding registration? Contact Jo Anne Arasim at (517) 373-1905. To contact your child during program sessions, call the museum at (517) 373-0510 or 373-1359.

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Child's name: _____ Age: _____

Parent's / Guardian's name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Emergency name & telephone: _____

If someone other than you will be picking up your child, please provide his/her name and telephone number: _____

Please list any medications that your child may be taking or using during the day camp and any specific schedule for medications or any concerns regarding their use: _____

I give permission for my child to be photographed as an individual or a group at the day camp. I understand photographs belong to the Michigan Historical Museum and may be used for promotional purposes.

Signature: _____

Write a check for the full amount to Michigan History Foundation or pay by credit card. CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED FOR AMOUNTS OVER \$40.00.

☐ Check Enclosed

☐ Charge my registration to:

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☐ Amex

☐ Discover

Cardholder's Name: (print) _____ Home Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Card Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Signature: _____ 3- digit CID # (on back of card) _____

Friends of Michigan History Discount

Members of the Friends of Michigan History, the Michigan Historical Museum membership support group, receive a **10%** discount on all Summer Sizzles Day Camp programs. Additional benefits of the basic Friends \$40-per-year membership include: one year subscription to Michigan History magazine; a **10%** discount at the Michigan Historical Museum Stores; special invitation to Michigan Historical Museum exhibit openings; and discounts at museums and historic sites nationwide through the Time Traveler program.

☐ Become a Friends member, \$40 enclosed

☐ I am a current Friends Member

Please indicate the camp your child will attend:

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Please return registration form with payment to:

Summer Sizzles
Michigan History Foundation
P.O. Box 17035, Lansing, MI 48901

